

HOUSE STANDING COMMITTEE ON TOURISM, OUTDOOR RECREATION AND NATURAL RESOURCES

521 House Office Building

Tuesday 10:30 A.M.

March 13, 2007

Representative Joel Sheltroun, Chair, called the meeting to order.

Representative Sheltroun requested attendance be called to establish a quorum of the appointed committee members:

Present: Representatives Sheltroun, Ebli, Brown, Hammon, Kathleen Law, Lindberg, Simpson, Casperson, Walker, Stakoe and Horn.

Absent: None.

Representative Hammon moved to approve the minutes of the **March 6, 2007** meeting.

There being no objection, the motion prevailed by **unanimous consent**.

The Chair laid HB 4323 before the committee.

HB 4323	Sheltroun	Natural resources; other; operation of off-road vehicles on road shoulders; allow local jurisdictions to approve and create a fund for enforcement and environmental remediation.
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Representative Sheltroun, sponsor of HB 4323, explained the proposed change in **substitute (H-1)**. Questions and discussion followed.

Representative Stakoe moved to adopt **substitute (H-1)** for **HB 4323**.

The motion prevailed by a **vote of 11-0-0**.

FAVORABLE ROLL CALL:

Yeas: Representatives Sheltroun, Ebli, Brown, Hammon, Kathleen Law, Lindberg, Simpson, Casperson, Walker, Stakoe and Horn,

Nays: None,

Pass: None.

Thomas M. Valli, attorney representing the Legislative Service Bureau (LSB), explained the

proposed amendments to substitute (H-1).

Representative Sheltroun offered the following amendments to **HB 4323 substitute (H-1)**.

1. Amend page 6, line 17, after the first **"THE"** by striking out **"RIGHT-OF WAY"** and inserting **"MAINTAINED PORTION"**.
2. Amend page 7, line 4, after **"TO"** by striking out **"SUBSECTION (2) OR (4)"** and inserting **"THIS SECTION"**.
3. Amend page 7, line 8, after **"TO"** by striking out **"SUBSECTION (2) OR (4)"** and inserting **"THIS SECTION"**.
4. Amend page 8, line 18, after **"UNDER"** by striking out **"THIS SECTION"** and inserting **"SUBSECTION (2) OR (4)"**.

Representative Stakoe moved to adopt the amendments.

The motion prevailed by a **vote of 11-0-0**.

FAVORABLE ROLL CALL:

Yeas: Representatives Sheltroun, Ebli, Brown, Hammon, Kathleen Law, Lindberg, Simpson, Casperson, Walker, Stakoe and Horn,
Nays: None,
Pass: None.

Representative Casperson moved to report **HB 4323** as **substitute (H-2)**, with recommendation.

The motion prevailed by a **vote of 11-0-0**.

FAVORABLE ROLL CALL:

Yeas: Representatives Sheltroun, Ebli, Brown, Hammon, Kathleen Law, Lindberg, Simpson, Casperson, Walker, Stakoe and Horn,
Nays: None,
Pass: None.

HB 4323 reported out as substitute (H-2), with recommendation.

The Chair laid HB 4407 before the committee.

HB 4407	Spade	Natural resources; hunting; use of raised platforms; allow when hunting fox or coyote.
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Representative Spade, sponsor of **HB 4407**, explained his bill to the committee. Questions and discussion followed.

Rodney Stokes, representing the Michigan Department of Natural Resources, testified in **opposition to HB 4407**. Questions and discussion followed.

The Chair placed the committee at ease at 11:00 a.m.

The Chair called the meeting back to order at 11:03 a.m.

Representative Simpson moved to report out **HB 4407** with recommendation.

The motion prevailed by a **vote of 9-0-2**.

FAVORABLE ROLL CALL:

Yeas: Representatives Sheltroun, Ebbi, Brown, Hammon, Kathleen Law, Lindberg, Simpson, Casperson and Horn,

Nays: None,

Pass: Representatives Walker and Stakoe.

HB 4407 reported out with recommendation.

There being no further business to come before the committee, the **Chair** adjourned the meeting, the time being **11:05 a.m.**

Representative Joel Sheltroun, Chair

Dave Mead
Committee Clerk
March 13, 2007
35 minutes

Date Approved and Signed